

# Meritorious Standard X students felicitated

Mukund Bhute



**WINNERS ALL:** The meritorious students stand alongside writer Leena Sohoni (centre) and members of Mukul Madhav Foundation at Mehta Publishing House on Saturday.

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**Bajirao Road:** Six meritorious students, who passed the tenth board exams with flying colours despite all odds, were felicitated by Mehta Publishing House on Saturday.

The felicitation ceremony was organised in the presence of children from orphanage Apala Ghar at Mehta Publishing House on Bajirao Road to motivate children to aim high and lead a successful life.

Renowned writer Leena Sohoni was present at the event and distributed prizes to the six students. Among those felicitated were three students from Apala Ghar, Rutuja Jamdade, Aakash Vyavhare and Karina Gaikwad who scored 79.80 per cent, 79.6 per cent and 79 per cent respectively.

## AWARDEESPEAK



**To achieve anything in life, it is necessary to dream, focus and work**

hard. An examination must be seen as an opportunity to improve oneself and keep going ahead.

—MIHIR JOSHI



**You must prepare well for the tenth board exams as your future**

depends upon it. You should not wait until the last minute and start your preparations well in advance.

—PRATIKSHA MAKESHWAR

The three other students were Pratiksha Makeshwar, the daughter of a housemaid who scored 91.40 per cent, Mihir Joshi, who scored 91 per cent despite his battle with blood cancer, and Ash-

wini Sable, an orphan and granddaughter of a ragpicker, who scored 75 per cent. Apart from the felicitation, the six students were awarded Rs 2,500 each by Mukul Madhav Foundation.